

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 399
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A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Brian Sulfridge on
becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when the youth of our country face tremendous challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of this nation's greatest assets, providing young people ages six to twenty with an educational program geared toward character development, citizenship training and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest achievement a Boy Scout can receive is the rank of Eagle Scout and Brian Sulfridge, after considerable hard work and preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, Brian Sulfridge, the son of proud parents Jack and Celeste Sulfridge, is a student at Morristown Hamblen West High School, where he has excelled both academically and in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, Brian played freshman football, lettered in baseball for two consecutive years as manager and served as a member of the Beta Club; and

WHEREAS, Brian's exemplary record of accomplishment as a member of his Boy Scout Troop #295 includes earning 50 Merit Badges, his excellent leadership as Chaplain Aid, Senior Patrol Leader and completing a 26-mile hike of the Mishamocha Trail; and

WHEREAS, his Eagle project benefited his community and Tennessee and reflected the fine traditions of the Volunteer State; and

WHEREAS, Brian also demonstrates his strong faith as an active member of Faith Baptist Church in Jefferson City, where he has been a faithful member for 12 years; and

WHEREAS, Brian has proven to be a very responsible young person, participating in various work projects through his church and the community; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we pause to specially recognize Brian Sulfridge as one of the most outstanding young people in our state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby congratulate and honor Mr. Brian Sulfridge on becoming an Eagle Scout, and wish him much continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final resolving clause omitted from such copy.